

JAMES VAN PELT.

[To accompany Bill H. R. No. 596.]

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APRIL 6, 1860.

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Mr. FOSTER, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, made the following

REPORT.

*The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of James Van Pelt, a soldier in the late war with Great Britain, report:*

That it appears from the evidence before your committee that James Van Pelt was a corporal in the company of New York militia commanded by Captain Abner Woodworth, and it also shows that after he so entered the service he became sick from extraordinary exposure to the weather and cold while on the march westward and in the line of his duty, which resulted in partial paralysis, that has incapacitated him from labor.

Your committee think that the petitioner's averments, as set forth in his petition, are sustained by the proof, and report the accompanying bill, and ask its favorable consideration.

JAMES VAN PENT

April 6, 1890

Mr. Pomeroy, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, reads the following

REPORT

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to which was referred the petition of James Van Pent, a soldier in the late war, and a blind invalid, report:

That in response to the evidence before your committee that James Van Pent was a corporal in the company of New York volunteers commanded by Captain Abner W. Woodworth, and at the close of the war he returned to his home in New York, and there remained until the weather and cold made it impossible for him to continue his work, and he then moved to the city of New York, where he remained until he died. Your committee believe that the pensioner's statements, as set forth in his petition, are sustained by the proof, and report the accompanying bill, and ask its favorable consideration.